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## Long Time Resident Dies In Hospital

Mrs. Esther Topley, a 50-year resident of Didsbury, died in hospital here on Wednesday, March 24. Born in Port Elgin, Ont., Mrs. Topley came west to Didsbury in 1903 and had lived here ever since.

She is survived by her husband, John, Didsbury; one son, Ellwood, Didsbury; four daughters, Mrs. M. E. (Elsie) MacDonald and Mrs. N. K. (Grace) McLeod, both of Vancouver; Mrs. S. N. (Jessie) Thompson, Penitence; and Joyce Topley, New Westminster; two brothers, H. T. Howe, Three Hills and Gilbert of Fort St. John, B.C.; and six grandchildren.

She was a member of St. Hilda's Chapter, O.E.S., and a charter member of the Lone Pine W.I.

Funeral service was held at Knox United Church, Didsbury, Friday, at 2 p.m. Burial took place in Didsbury cemetery with Didsbury Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## Legion To Sponsor Card Party

The Didsbury Branch of the Canadian Legion and Auxiliary are sponsoring an "at home" whist and bridge party in aid of the Boy Scout building fund.

Members will entertain in their own homes, each player contributing 50c and high scores only are to be phones or taken to Mr. Van Wyck at the C.P.R. station.

Members may have their party any time before the next Legion meeting, April 29 and following are the rules:

For bridge: 10 games, 300 points a game and the hostess will decide whether progressive or non-progressive bridge will be played.

For whist: Court whist will be played and cards will be mailed or given to those who will be entertaining at whist parties.

Any member who has not been contacted and desires to hold a party is asked to contact Mr. Van Wyck or Mrs. George Mullen.

## Ramblers To Again Play In Central Alta. League

### CELEBRATE 25TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fulkert entertained Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fulkert, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dupont and David, and Mr. Glen Fulkert at dinner on Saturday evening, the occasion being their 25th wedding anniversary.

A beautiful anniversary cake was made by Mrs. E. Dupont and decorated by Mrs. Rosa Youngs — a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Fulkert. Later in the evening other relatives began to arrive, which was also a complete surprise.

After an evening of fun, luncheon was served by the hostesses and were presented with a purse of money. The occasion came to a happy ending with the singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

### East Notes

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. Lloyd Cipperey and Mrs. Herb Zeigler were co-hostesses to a Ronaldware tea on Tuesday evening, March 23, at the home of the former. Cookies were played and prizes won by Mrs. Elsie Brander.

Mrs. Harold Shields, Miss Patsy Spragg and Mrs. Gladys Nielsen followed this Mrs. Hanson of Alhambra demonstrated the Ronaldware. Later a very delicious lunch was served by the hostesses and the tea draw was won by Mrs. O. Schneider.

Mrs. Chris Ehret spent the past week at Olds visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Moon and family.

Mrs. Edna Dowell spent Tuesday at Olds visiting with Mrs. Marie Coates and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grant.

Mrs. Margaret Nielsen has been seriously ill in Three Hills hospital the past week.

On Friday evening about 25 friends gathered at the home of Mr. J. D. Thomas and Ronald Thomas for an evening of cards. Six tables of whist were played with top honors going to Mrs. Nell McKay and Mr. Sandy Brander. Lunch was then served by Mrs. Dowell and her helpers and Miss Arlene Haste sang songs accompanied by Mrs. Nell McKay at the piano.

Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Progeizer and family of Calgary were Sunday visitors with the Milne families.

Mrs. Edna Dowell and Mr. Fred Metz were Calgary visitors on Thursday and called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark and were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Storey.

Mrs. Mary Milne and Mr. Ronald Milne were business visitors at Calgary on Thursday.

Donna Cipperey entered the hospital Sunday evening to have her tonsils removed.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bill Haderer and family attended the play and dance at Mayton Friday night.

Dinner guests at the Bill Haderer home Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeng, Marian and Gordon, Don Freeman, Dolores and Cliff Haderer.

The next Lone Pine W.I. meeting will be held at Mrs. Chris Ehret's on April 14.

The following were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson: Mr. and Mrs. Herb Zeigler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cipperey and family and Mr. Clarence Cipperey, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson, the occasion being the former couple's 23rd anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and family were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliot.

Monday evening callers at the Alfie Thompson home were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schumaker.

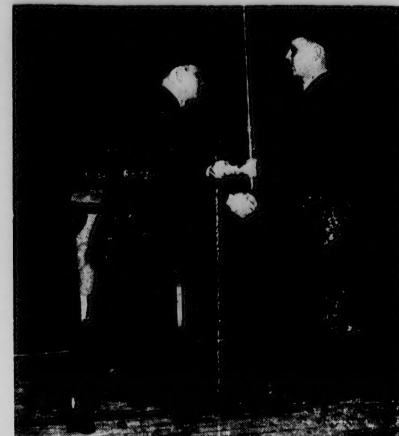
Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bittner and family were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson called on Mr. and Mrs. Pat Spragg Monday evening.

Mrs. Clendenan and Mrs. Raymond Schumaker were weekend visitors with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schumaker motored to Calgary on Tuesday.

Have you got your "play-at-home" bingo card. You can't win the new card without a card!



— Photo courtesy of N.D.H.Q.

Shown above is Pilot Officer Arthur Conrad Platz, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Platz of Didsbury, receiving his certificate from Group Capt. M. Lipton, at a "wings" parade in Centralia, Ont., recently. Born at Westlock, Alberta, P.O. Platz moved to Didsbury with his parents at an early age, and received his education here before enlisting in the Air Force in 1951. He has now been posted to the advanced training school at Gimli, Man., where he is taking advanced training with the R.C.A.F. jet planes.

## BERGEN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. A. Bentz, long-time resident of this district, was found dead in his cabin by neighbors who went to investigate when they noticed no activity about the place. The deceased was a bachelor and lived alone. Dr. Miller of Sundre is said to have estimated his death to have occurred about two weeks before he was found.

Mr. Harvey Wideman is in the Didsbury hospital, having suffered a broken leg. He was crushed when some machinery was being loaded, prior to moving to Castor. Mrs. Wideman and some of the children had already left for Castor.

A road meeting for I.D. 50 north of the town line was held in Bergen hall Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruth Ladd entertained the girls' club at her home on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lydia Suder, former pastor at Bergen, preached at the local U.M. Church Sunday morning.

Mrs. L. Connors is home from the Olds hospital following an operation.

## Mountain View

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Institute card party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Tighe on Wednesday, March 24, had six tables in play. Prizes went to Mrs. Ed McNeil and Mr. Pete Schumaker and consolations to Miss Peggy Owens and Mr. Art Thompson.

Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Tighe were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spooner, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKay and Donna of Acme, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clay (Gladys Hayne) of Red Deer and Mrs. Jankey (Shelvin Hayne) of Vancouver. The two Hayne's girls were former residents of this district, living where Mr. and Mrs. R. Hamper now reside.

Mr. Dave Hughes and Mrs. David Pratt motored to Edmonton over the weekend to visit with Mrs. Dave Hughes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Hamper and family had at their dinner guests recently, Mr. and Mrs. Grenville McCaig and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kryklyw were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter and family.

There will be an Institute card party at the home of Mrs. Winnie Bittner on Wednesday evening, March 31.

C.P.R. TRAIN TIMES AT DIDSBURY

NORTHBOUND:  
No. 521—(flag stop) 1:20 a.m. daily  
No. 527—10:04 a.m. (flag stop) Sunday only

SOUTHBOUND:  
No. 523—11:24 p.m. daily except Sunday  
No. 529—6:21 p.m. daily

No. 522—4:50 a.m. daily  
No. 524—12:23 Noon daily  
No. 526—4:58 p.m. daily except Sunday

No. 528—6:21 p.m. (flag stop) Sunday only

## Harmattan News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A very nice community shower was held at the home of Mrs. Warren Conrad on Thursday, March 25, honoring Miss Isabel Noakes, April bride-elect. Several games were played, winners being Mrs. Bob Strand, Miss Marian Hutchinson and Mrs. Albert Gilmore.

The gifts were presented to the bride in a mock wedding cake. After opening these, assisted by Miss Marilyn Knights, she thanked the guests assembled with a few well chosen words. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies. The W.A. of St. George's Anglican Church presented Miss Noakes with a pair of hand embroidered pillow cases.

An accident occurred Friday, March 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Armstrong of this district when their car was in collision with a panel truck. Mr. Armstrong suffered an injured knee-cap and Mrs. Armstrong suffered head injuries. Both were admitted to hospital for several days.

The dance scheduled for April 9 has been postponed to April 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stockburger were recent weekend visitors in Calgary.

## WESTERDALE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A dance will be held at the hall on April 9, with the Merrykays orchestra in attendance.

Five tables of whist were in play at the home of Mrs. A. Jackson last Tuesday evening. Top honors

## Westcott News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Crosby of Canmore, on March 11, a daughter, Lorna Gail. The parents are former residents of this district.

Mr. Lyle Johnson arrived home Tuesday from the north country where he has been employed on a cinematograph crew for the past three months. At the weekend they moved their trailer home and headed back for the north where they expect to be for some time to come. Mrs. Johnson will accompany her husband as far as they can get with the trailer.

The rural electrification crew has been in this area for some time getting things in shape for the service that is expected soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Card of Calgary spent the weekend with friends and relatives in the district and were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Al Engwer Saturday night.

Mr. Neil Polkman was home from Calgary for the weekend, as was Duane Jacobsen, who attends Tech school in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Jones and Mr. Allen Roeth while consolations were to Mrs. B. Pross spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bolton the early part of last week.

Mr. Bill Wigley, who is now located at Munson, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jackson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Pross and Mrs. B. Pross were last Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jones and sons motored to Trochu on Sunday where they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Koch.

Mrs. R. Jackson returned home last weekend after spending a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. MacRae of Calgary.

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Deluxe Cars for C.P.R.: This busy production line at the sprawling Red Lion plant of the Budd Company near Philadelphia gives a clear indication of how close the C.P.R. is to receiving the first units of a \$40,000,000 order for 173 streamlined, stainless steel passenger cars ordered last summer. The first of 71 deluxe sleeping cars will be delivered in June.

and after that a steady stream of cars will be put into service until the order is completed in 1965 and 16 Canadian Pacific transcontinental trains are fully equipped. Included in the order will be 36 "beetle dome" cars with sky-view observation lounges the same as that in the inset, 30 coaches, 10 modern diners and 18 dormitory cars.

Annual meeting of the Didsbury Ramblers Hockey Club was held Monday evening in the Lions hall with a turnout of approximately 100 fans. Condition of country roads held the attendance down considerably.

The financial statement was read and adopted and the decision of the meeting was to again compete in the Central Alberta Hockey League next season.

It was decided that 13 members would serve on the executive on a 3, 2, 1 year basis. Eight of the former executive will remain with five more elected. The ruling body will elect its own president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and manager.

Those named to remain on the executive are: Dale Kimmel, H. Allenson, J. Holub, C. Sorenson, R. Shantz, H. Lynch-Staunton, J. Currie, G. Wilkins. New members are: T. Morris, Geo. McDonald, Bob Dubois, Jay Tugle and Geo. Law.

A committee of seven were appointed to investigate means of financing an artificial ice plant here. They are: Ed Ford, Alf Allan, H. Halliday, H. Hoesegood, J. Kohut, J. A. Shannon and Bill Cowan.

The financial statement follows:

Receipts:  
Balance of April 6, 1953 \$1605.29  
Season Tickets 1612.50  
Club share gate receipts 2252.94  
Association share 88.85  
Referees 182.50  
Bingo and raffle 702.90  
Donations 300.00  
Rebates and wages earned 319.67

Total \$7074.65

Disbursements:  
C.A.H.A. and A.A.H.A. \$ 238.03  
Arena 322.60  
Meals 488.17  
Skate sharpening, repairs 50.60  
Equipment 2663.40  
Miscellaneous 68.70  
Advertising 45.35  
Referees advance 150.00  
Medical expenses 122.50  
Phone calls and wires 68.50  
Travelling expenses 624.80

Total \$6198.90

Balance \$ 875.75

MELVIN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Viola McNaughton is a native in the local hospital where she underwent an emergency appendectomy last Monday. We are glad to report she is progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson and family and Mrs. V. Wollen and children of Ft. St. John spent last week visiting relatives in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krebs, Mrs. V. Wollen and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herbert and family on Wednesday.

Mr. Lester Krebs, accompanied by Leonard Cowitz, left Monday by truck to take a tractor and tiller to Ft. St. John.

Mr. O. Fischer of Calgary is visiting relatives and friends in the district and plans to leave for B.C. shortly.

BOARD OF TRADE INVESTIGATE GRAIN CLEANING SITUATION

The department of agriculture made a test of the seed grain planted last year and found that over 50 per cent was of poor quality due to inadequate cleaning.

The Didsbury Board of Trade was concerned about this situation here and realizing that to harvest good quality grain we must have good clean seed, and set up a committee to investigate.

Findings were that the cleaning mill operated by A. S. Gole has been approved by the Field Crops branch of the Department of Agriculture, who report that this plant is using the smaller size of the same machine that is being used by municipal plants.

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**— MISCELLANEOUS —**

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### MOUNTAIN VIEW HEALTH UNIT NO. 7

Clinics will be held at the following points in this district during the month of April:

Carstairs United Church Hall: Tuesday, April 27.  
Cremona Legion Hall: Tuesday, April 6.  
Crossfield United Church Hall: Thursday, April 1.  
Didsbury Health Unit Office: Thursday, April 8 and 22.  
Olds Agricultural School, Friday, April 9 and 23.  
Sundre W.I. Library: Tuesday, April 13.  
All clinics, 2 to 4 p.m.

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### Through The Study Window

By REV. C. C. ARMSTRONG

The month of March has a special place in the Christian calendar, for it is the month which marks the spring equinox, and consequently the date of Easter. I thought that I had some smattering of knowledge about equinox, until I read that there are actually two of these, a true equinox and a mean equinox and that "The true equinox moves around the mean equinox in a period equal to that of the moon's nodes." At the time I decided it was time to take time out for coffee, and recover from the effects of this discovery.

Well, anyway, Easter is the first Sunday after the first full moon after "the equinox," and thus the greatest of all Christian festivals is dated by the fluctuations of the moon, and may come anytime between March 23rd and April 25th. Fashion designers, more conscious of the fluctuations of style than of the changes of the moon, find this a very awkward situation. Should Easter bunnies be made of solid fur or some new-fangled type of stuff that only a woman would wear — and only in mild weather.

This commercialization of Easter has led Chambers of Commerce to take steps to set a fixed date. No less a body than the International Congress of Chambers of Commerce, meeting in Rome in 1923, addressed a resolution to the Holy See, hoping to fix a date for Easter. Not long afterwards the matter was referred to the League of Nations, who passed the buck quite properly, back to the church leaders, or at least a portion of them. As of today no set date has been fixed.

After doing a little research I find that the solemn and laborious attempts to fix the date are not nearly as spirited as the quarrels of long ago over the date of Easter. The Council of Nicea, held in A.D.

#### HIGHER BEEF PRICES

Your favorite steak may cost you more in the spring. And Canadians may be eating more pork than they are right now. The reason: an expected increase in beef and cattle prices in late March or early April.

General feeling is the price hike will be between 10 and 20 per cent. If beef and cattle prices move up, the change may well mark the end of the general price decline which has extended through 1952 and 1953.

Astronomical beef prices in 1951 stimulated heavy production in Canada and the United States. Grain farmers and even city people were raising cattle on the side for sale at healthy prices.

Eventually high production pushed prices down sharply. Now marginal producers in North America have gone out of beef and lower supplies this spring are expected to force prices up.

Since wheat can be produced about anywhere in the world, Canada can expect to remain one of the world's top-line suppliers only so long as competitive advantage is not destroyed by artificial factors, such as international price agreements.

325 decided that Easter should be celebrated on a Sunday, but it was not till A.D. 716 that the English clergy agreed to this and Ethelred, King of Northumbria, massed 1200 monks at Bangor who preferred a date other than that acceptable to his majesty, and sanctioned by the church.

The churches are the proper ones to settle the question of a fixed date for Easter, rather than kings or even chambers of Commerce.

But I suppose that for long years to come nothing much will be done about it. Anyway, the really important thing is not the Easter parade and the fixing of a suitable date for the display of new clothes. What does matter is the recognition of the real significance arising out of the Cross and the Resurrection.

### Zella W.I. March Meeting

The Zella W.I. meeting was held Thursday, March 18 at the home of the president, Mrs. E. Lowrie, with Mrs. Vic Snyder as co-hostess. Fourteen members and three visitors were present and roll call was made. Casino coupons to be sent to the Central Alberta San.

Mrs. Joe White and Mrs. John Hansen, as delegates, reported on the district conference held at Drumheller March 11 and 12. Mrs. Joe White also gave an interesting article on "The Harvesting of Peat Moss Along the Fraser River Delta" as her agricultural topic.

Mrs. H. Christensen and Mrs. J. Johnston are to enquire about the purchase of a hot plate for W.I. use.

The "bit of fun" was cartoon stories conducted by Mrs. A. Walderoff and won by Mrs. Bill Eggers. Mrs. Ira Scott won the St. Patrick quiz given by Mrs. C. Gibbs. A gift of two plates donated by a visitor, Mrs. Cameron, were raffled and won by Mrs. Dan Butcher.

Mrs. Wilfred Spooner will be the next hostess on Thursday, April 15 with Mrs. Dick Nelson as co-hostess.

Mrs. Robert Young of Maple Creek, Sask., was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nelson.

Church services are conducted every 1st and 3rd Sunday in the school at 10 a.m. by Rev. C. C. Armstrong and Sunday school is held every Sunday at 11 a.m.

Did you know that the small area that is the United Kingdom produced in 1953 nearly 50 per cent more meat than Canada?

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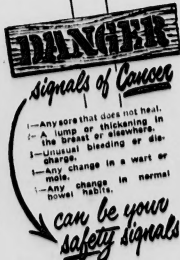
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The club wishes to thank all who helped make the evening a success. Mrs. Boden donated a wool auto rug toward the raffle and also gave assistance during the party. The Olds Legion very kindly loaned their bingo equipment, which Mr. E. O. Robinson handled very capably. The ladies of the Harmattan Hall Club gave permission to use the hall. The Zella W.I. loaned their cards for the whist drive and postponed their card party until a later date. Also the parents of the club members, the club leader, Mr. T. Spooner and the club members themselves are to be commended for their co-operation and work.

The club wishes to thank the following merchants and friends of the club for their support: Sundre General Store, Burke's Hardware of Sundre, Sundre Hardware (Bob Rankin), Builders Hardware (Olds), Macleod's Store (Olds), Maybank's Drug Store, Mr. A. Scarlett (Westward Ho), Mr. Ray Valdez (Westward Ho), Mr. and Mrs. Boden, Mr. and Mrs. Baustad and the U.F.A. Co-op Store at Olds.

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Bingo prizes were won by Mrs. Dodd, Janice McDonald, Lorna Moore, Garry Dodd, Mrs. W. Conrad, Marilyn Knights, Janice McDonald, Alfred Jones, Eleanor Moore.

Winners at whist were Mrs. Rock and Mr. W. Turnbull with consolations going to Mrs. Gibbs and Mr. E. Lowrie. Traveling prize went to Marilyn Knights and Mr. C. Gibbs.

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## SPRINGSIDE NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. W. Collinge, Mrs. F. Jackson and Art Kershaw motored to Calgary on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Collinge went to a banquet and dance sponsored by United Milk and Cream Producers' Association Ltd.

Best wishes go to Rita Rodney who is sick with a sore throat. Don't forget the card party at Springside school on Friday, April 2nd. Proceeds go to the Old Folks' home.

The F.U.A. meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Collinge on Tuesday, March 23. Sixteen members and four visitors were present. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Chandler on April 22.

Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Zack (Jean McDonald) on the birth of a daughter, also to Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomson (Clara McDonald) on the birth of a daughter.

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After opening the gifts, which were very pretty and useful, she thanked all present and invited them to come and see her in her trailer home in Fincher Creek.

A delicious lunch was then served by the hostess, assisted by Betty LaRue and Lila Krebs.

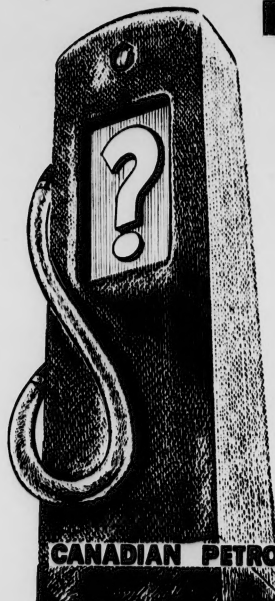
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## WHEAT SHIPPING COSTS

Export wheat Vancouver is priced at about 2 cents below the Fort William price even with the cut of 7 cents a bushel in the latter figure.

Prior to the reduction in the Fort William price there was a spread of about 9 cents in favor of Vancouver. That was due to a relatively cheapness of transporting wheat from Vancouver to Europe as compared with the eastern route.

It then cost from 30 to 31 cents to transport a bushel of wheat from Vancouver to the United Kingdom. The cost from Fort William was from 39 cents to 40 cents, mainly due to the high cost of the rail haul eastward from Fort William.

## M.V.B.C. NEWS

The choir has returned to the College after a full week of singing. This group sang in Claster, Galahad, Stottier, and Canadian Nazarene College during the week-end. They were well received in every place and each student was enthusiastic about their trip. Within a few weeks they will tour again through Idaho, Washington, B.C. and a part of Alberta.

Mrs. Lydia Suder spoke in the Bergen church Sunday morning, and in the Parkdale church in Calgary in the evening.

Be sure and tell your friends and neighbors about the music recital to be held in the United Missionary church, Thursday evening at 8 p.m., April 1. Both vocal and piano students will take part.

The people of the community have appreciated the recitals put on by the music department from year to year. This year Miss Marlene Sharmann, who is taking her diploma in piano, will present her concert on April 8 in the United Missionary Church at 8 p.m. Reserve that night for this special treat. Miss Sharmann is quite accomplished in her rendition of classical music.

Junior-Senior night was a real success. The Juniors decorated the dining room most appropriately for the occasion. As one entered the door, a path edged with flag stones with lilies amongst them, led one to a pulpit arranged as a large golden crown, on which was printed "The Crown of Life," "The Crown of Righteousness" and "The Crown of Glory," indicative of the prize set for those who "Press Toward the Mark."

The latter was the motto chosen by the Juniors to challenge the Seniors. Plants decorated and flanked the pulpit, and behind it, against golden and crimson curtains, hung Salmon's "Head of Christ." It was most impressive.

On either side of the path, tables appropriately decorated were lined up. The guests and seniors were ushered in, while Edward Oke played softly on the piano. Cliff Quantz, Junior president, was in charge of the evening. Earl Reimer very graphically read the Junior prophecy for the Senior class, dressed as an Indian Swami. The entire Junior class sang a song composed especially for the Seniors.

Special songs marked the program effectively, and Rev. C. J. Hallman brought a challenging message for the class. The banquet was graciously served by six young high school girls. Emma Dietz supervised the salad supper prepared for the seniors. Altogether it was a time of good will and graciousness. The Juniors enjoyed every moment of preparation and extended their best wishes to those so soon leaving the College.

About 75 per cent of the cultivated acreage of Western Canada is to some extent infested with wild oats.



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## Little Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. R. Shantz, Mr. and Mrs. H. Allenson and Mrs. Les Le-Grand attended the Ponoko-Oids hockey game in Calgary last Wednesday.

Miss N. Andrew of Marton-on-Marsh, England, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Parker.

Attention! The Junior C.G.I.T. will be calling at your house on Wednesday evening. Have your shoes ready to be shined at 10c a pair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Stiles entertained the following students from the Olds School of Agriculture to a turkey dinner on Sunday: Miss Lone Coates of Carbon, Miss Jocelynn Linville, Shuwap, B.C., Miss Betty-Jean Macaulay of Thornby, Ronald Osella of Carstairs, Frank Richter of Keremeos, B.C. and Gordon Stiles.

Mr. Bill Parker visited in Edmonton over the weekend on business.

Mr. Dick Law of the Royal Bank staff at Camrose spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. C. E. Reiber entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Law and family to breakfast last Sunday morning. It is to be a weekly chore we hope more of his closer neighbors will be invited.

Mrs. John Kohut and youngest son left Calgary by plane last week for Maxon Clinic, where both will undergo medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jenkins of Edmonton, accompanied by their family, visited in town over the weekend with the former's mother and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berscht of Alask, Sask. visited Monday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Berscht. During their stay here they also visited other friends in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Shantz of Calgary and Mrs. Elmer Cowitz were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wright last Thursday afternoon.

Grade 7 class of the local school hosts to Chappie Dunsinuir, who left at the weekend with his parents to take up residence in Carstairs.

Mr. Joel Barrett of Calgary was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Barrett.

Miss E. M. Henderson of Calgary was a weekend visitor with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kendrick.

Mr. Barney Barrett of Calgary left Monday for a two weeks' vacation at the west coast.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Barrett on Sunday for Canon Morgan of Calgary who has officiated at services in St. Cyprian's Church here for the past six months.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. J. Topley and family wish to express their thanks and appreciation to Dr. Epp, the staff at the hospital and all those friends and neighbors who were so kind and considerate during our recent bereavement.

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## Coming Events

The Afternoon Group of Knox United W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Blain, Thursday, April 1 at 2:45 p.m.

The Didsbury and District Fish and Game Association are planning a banquet for April 21st.

Eric Ratledge, optometrist, associate of K. Roy Maclean, announces the date of his next visit as Monday, April 12, morning only, at the Rosebud hotel. Consult in city office, 1014 Greyhound Bldg.

An A.F.U. meeting will be held at the Zella school Thursday evening, April 8.

## South West Didsbury

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. Frank Fletcher spent Thursday afternoon visiting Mrs. Ernest Good.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spicer and Mrs. Slim Corby of Carstairs were Friday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyer and family. Mr. Corby is a patient in the Didsbury hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edwards and family were Tuesday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and family.

Miss Pat Hipkin was a Wednesday overnight guest of Miss Bernice Befus.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger and family and Mrs. D. B. Wood were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jackson and family of Acme.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Lovagood and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tuggle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weber and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Weber and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Dippel and Carole were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winterbottom and family.

Mr. George Meyer and Mr. E. A. Bartz were Calgary visitors Monday.

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N-32	B-11	N-38	O-61	B-15
6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
B-10	I-25	N-38	O-62	N-40
11th	12th	13th	14th	15th
N-45	I-21	O-65	B-2	G-50
16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
O-70	I-22	G-59	G-55	B-9
21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th
G-60	O-74	O-72	N-37	O-71
26th	27th	28th	29th	30th
G-52	N-34	O-75	B-4	G-57

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